

1 1. (Previously Presented) A method for managing presentation of a computer-based slide
2 show, comprising:
3 portraying at least some of a plurality of slides as a sequential arrangement of
4 corresponding cells visually depicting slide data in a substantially transparent
5 summary view in a graphical user interface;
6 furnishing time data describing said presentation of said slide show in said summary
7 view; and
8 selecting at least one of said slides for display in said graphical user interface.

1 2-5. (Canceled).

1 6. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein said slide data includes at least
2 one of: which of said slides has been displayed for more than a predetermined duration,
3 which of said slides is a critical slide, which of said slides is an example slide, which of said
4 slides is a hidden slide.

1 7. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein said slide data includes which of
2 said slides has an enhancement portion including at least one of: a multimedia document, a
3 hyperlink, an audio file.

1 8-16. (Canceled).

1 17. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising warning a presenter
2 when a time limit is approaching by performing at least one of: changing a color of a visual
3 indicator, flashing said visual indicator, ~~triggering an audible signal, triggering a tactile~~
4 ~~signal.~~

1 18. (Canceled).

1 19. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein a hierarchy of said sequential arrangements
2 enables depiction of an increased number of said slides.

1 20. (Canceled).

1 21. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein said summary view portrays a thumbnail
2 version of a brushed slide corresponding to a brushed cell.

1 22-27. (Canceled).

1 28. (Previously Presented) A system for managing presentation of a computer-based slide
2 show, comprising:

3 a computer including a cpu, an internal memory, a data storage device, an input
4 device; and

5 a display device, for portraying at least some of a plurality of slides as a sequential
6 arrangement of corresponding cells visually depicting slide data in a
7 substantially transparent summary view in a graphical user interface,

8 wherein said summary view furnishes time data describing said presentation and

9 wherein at least one of said slides is selected for display in said graphical user
10 interface using said input device.

1 29. (Previously Presented) A system for managing presentation of a computer-based slide
2 show, comprising:

3 means for portraying at least some of a plurality of slides as a sequential arrangement
4 of corresponding cells visually depicting slide data in a substantially
5 transparent summary view in a graphical user interface;

6 means for furnishing time data describing said presentation of said slide show in said
7 summary view; and

8 means for selecting at least one of said slides for display in said graphical user
9 interface.

1 30. (Currently Amended) A computer program product comprising a machine-readable
2 medium ~~having~~ tangibly embodying computer-executable program instructions thereon
3 including:

4 a first code means for portraying at least some of a plurality of slides as a sequential
5 arrangement of corresponding cells visually depicting slide data in a
6 substantially transparent summary view in a graphical user interface;

7 a second code means for furnishing time data describing said presentation of said
8 slide show in said summary view; and

9 a third code means for selecting at least one of said slides for display in said
10 graphical user interface.